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Raw Sequence Listing Error Summary

ERROR DETECTED	SUGGESTED CORRECTION SERIAL NUMBER: 10/563,779
ATTN: NEW RULES CASES:	PLEASE DISREGARD ENGLISH "ALPHA" HEADERS, WHICH WERE INSERTED BY PTO SOFTWARE
lWrapped Nucleics Wrapped Aminos	The number/text at the end of each line "wrapped" down to the next line. This may occur if your file was retrieved in a word processor after creating it. Please adjust your right margin to .3; this will prevent "wrapping."
2Invalid Line Length	The rules require that a line not exceed 72 characters in length. This includes white spaces.
3Misaligned Amino Numbering	The numbering under each 5 th amino acid is misaligned. Do not use tab codes between numbers; use space characters , instead.
4 Non-ASCII	The submitted file was not saved in ASCII(DOS) text, as required by the Sequence Rules. Please ensure your subsequent submission is saved in ASCII text.
5Variable Length	Sequence(s)contain n's or Xaa's representing more than one residue. Per Sequence Rules, each n or Xaa can only represent a single residue. Please present the maximum number of each residue having variable length and indicate in the <220>-<223> section that some may be missing.
6PatentIn 2.0 "bug"	A "bug" in PatentIn version 2.0 has caused the <220>-<223> section to be missing from amino acid sequences(s) Normally, PatentIn would automatically generate this section from the previously coded nucleic acid sequence. Please manually copy the relevant <220>-<223> section to the subsequent amino acid sequence. This applies to the mandatory <220>-<223> sections for Artificial or Unknown sequences.
7Skipped Sequences (OLD RULES)	Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for each skipped sequence: (2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown) (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS: (Do not insert any subheadings under this heading) (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION:SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown) This sequence is intentionally skipped Please also adjust the "(ii) NUMBER OF SEQUENCES:" response to include the skipped sequences.
8Skipped Sequences (NEW RULES)	Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for each skipped sequence. <210> sequence id number <400> sequence id number 000
9Use of n's or Xaa's (NEW RULES)	Use of n's and/or Xaa's have been detected in the Sequence Listing. Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, use of <220>-<223> is MANDATORY if n's or Xaa's are present. In <220> to <223> section, please explain location of n or Xaa, and which residue n or Xaa represents.
I0Invalid <213> Response	Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, the only valid <213> responses are: Unknown, Artificial Sequence, or scientific name (Genus/species). <220>-<223> section is required when <213> response is Unknown or is Artificial Sequence. (see item 11 below)
Use of <220>	Sequence(s) missing the <220> "Feature" and associated numeric identifiers and responses. Use of <220> to <223> is MANDATORY if <213> "Organism" response is "Artificial Sequence" or "Unknown." Please explain source of genetic material in <220> to <223> section or use "chemically synthesized" as explanation. (See "Federal Register," 06/01/1998, Vol. 63, No. 104, pp. 29631-32), also Sec. 1.823 of Sequence Rules
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3 Misuse of n/Xaa	"n" can only represent a single nucleotide; "Xaa" can only represent a single amino acid



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PATENT APPLICATION: US/10/563,779

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plants

7 <130> FILE REFERENCE: PPD70629

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199 <212> TYPE: PPT

ERRORED SEQUENCES

199 <212> TYPE: PRT

200 <213> ORGANISM: Artificial Sequence

202 <220> FEATURE:

203 <223 > OTHER INFORMATION (Motif)

205 <400> SEQUENCE: 7

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L:180 M:341 W: (46) "n" or "Xaa" used, for SEQ ID#:5 after pos.:60
L:216 M:332 E: (32) Invalid/Missing Amino Acid Numbering, SEQ ID:7
L:9 M:203 E: No. of Seq. differs, <160> Number Of Sequences:Input (11) Counted (7)